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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 31, 2007, please enter the following amendments and remarks. This amendment is accompanied by a two-month Request for Extension of time, extending the time for responding until May 31, 2008.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.